

Murray Bradley, Sumter.
Lucius O. Brunson, Sumter.
The following names were submitted
to the following classes on the 1st
day of January, 1918:

Class One.

F. E. Thomas, Wedgefield.
Mathew McCutchen, Mayesville.
John M. DuBose, Providence.
Beauregard Williams, Hagood.
Eugene D. Prince, Mayesville.
Henry Porter, Oswego.
Hampton Colcough, Dalzell.
Charlie B. Yates, Providence.
William H. Richardson, Sumter.
Harrison Diggs, Rembert.
Hazel A. Boykin, Sumter.
Claude Jones, Rembert.
Isaac Michaux, Oswego.
Ransom Davis, Rembert.
Neil Bennett, Rembert.
Will Mosier, Sumter.
Daniel Shannon, Horatio.
Thomas E. Deas, Sumter.
March Wright, Claremont.
Edward Gadsden, Claremont.
Julius B. Watts, Sumter.
William R. Newman, Sumter.
Porter Rivers, Dalzell.
Richard Holmes, Rembert.
John Johnson, Mayesville.
David Grant, Providence.
D. D. Scott, Rembert.
Eugene Brown, Dalzell.
Ashby Jenkins, Oswego.
George Nelson, Sumter.
James Drumson, Horatio.
Riddle Williams, Wedgefield.
John H. Wins, Sumter.
Marion Brunson, Oswego.
Flagler Dufant, Sumter.
James F. Pugh, Sumter.
Thomas H. Brown, Sumter.
Willie P. Smith, Oswego.
John Polk, Wedgefield.
Charles M. Chandler, Sumter.
Charles Windham, Oswego.
Clifton Windham, Sumter.

Class Two.

Edgar Owens, Mayesville.
Mack Watts, Rembert.
Tillman Scott, Rembert.
Sara Taylor, Providence.
Heskiah Rhodes, Wedgefield.
James Spann, Sumter.
Stephen Lewis, Sumter.
John Rogers, Sumter.
Isaiah Austin, Sumter.
Hubert Wilson, Mayesville.
Mitchell Wortherly, Augusta, Ga.
Benito Taylor, Sumter.
Geo. Singleton, Sumter.
Thomas Capers, Providence.
Shedrick Vaughn, Sumter.
Jefferson Brown, Wedgefield.
Teo Abram, Providence.
Samuel Singleton, Wedgefield.
Frank Gayle, Wedgefield.
Lucius Sparks, Sumter.
Hughson Deas, Sumter.
Edlie Spencer, Dalzell.
William Epps, Tindal.

Willie McKay, Mayesville.
Manson Carolina, Mayesville.
Joe Bradford, Sumter.
Almont Wilson, Brogdon.
James Bradford, Providence.
Sun Franklin, Dalzell.
Reese Hood, Dalzell.
John Wilson, Wedgefield.
Frank Richardson, Sumter.
Thomas Bradley, Jr., Sumter.
George Buxton, Borden.
Willie Butler, Oswego.
Miles Dawson, Dalzell.
Willie McLeary, Sumter.
McKibley Wilson, Providence.
Henry Williams, Horatio.
Brady Chandler, Shiloh.
Wesley Hampton, Mayesville.
Aaron Williams, Oswego.
Gilbert White, Mayesville.
James Ramsey, Sumter.
Henry McFadden, Brogdon.
James China, Providence.
Robert Mellette, Sumter.
Joseph Scott, Brogdon.
Willie Windham, Sumter.
Emanuel Lane, Sumter.
Wesley Williams, Providence.
Warren Dow, Sumter.
Richard Canty, Rembert.
O'Neil Jackson, Sumter.
James Dwyer, Sumter.
Nan Britton, Sumter.
Timman Michaux, Oswego.
Jerry Stavis, Rembert.
Blady Green, Shiloh.
James G. Rush, Olanita.
Henry B. Grantham, Sumter.
Charlie Graham, Olanita.
Joe Grant, Providence.
Arthur Spain, Dalzell.
Charles Green, Mayesville.
Isaac Kershaw, Horatio.
Olie Hunter, Rembert.
John Butler, Sumter.
George L. Bennehaley, Dalzell.
Jeremiah Richardson, Sumter.
Eugene Burns, Sumter.
Luther Hart, Marion.
Edward James, Sumter.
Ellie B. Reynolds, Sumter.
John Sewright, Horatio.
Eugene Howard, Claremont.
Elliott Williams, Wedgefield.
Lillis E. Benjamin, Dalzell.
Sam Trusel, Shiloh.
Paul Tindal, Shiloh.
Flegar Weston, Sumter.
James McFadden, Sumter.

Class Three.

Edward B. Lawry, Sumter.
Class Four.
Chester A. Mack, Rembert.
Henty Smith, Hagood.
Hiram Haynsworth, Mayesville.
Louis J. Freeman, Pee Dee, S. C.

Samuel L. Cooper, Mayesville.
John Smith, Sumter.
James Williams, Sumter.
Robert W. Moore, Sumter.
John Richardson, Brogdon.

Sam Cooper, Mayesville.
Samuel M. Farabow, Sumter.
Claude V. Truluck, Lynchburg.
Clyde Phillips, Tindal.
Denny Davis, Providence.
Archib C. Carrigan, Sumter.
James Cabbagastalk, Sumter.
Luther Wilson, Camden.
John R. Coleman, Lynchburg.
Frank L. Pritchard, Tindal.
Thomas Pringle, Mayesville.
Oliver S. Thompson, Sumter.
Melvin Ben, Shiloh.
Isaac Thompson, Sumter.
Sego Jackson, Dalzell.
Andrew B. Tondlinson, Olanita.
Clarence E. Stokes, Sumter.
Robert W. Huggins, Sumter.
Ira McDowell, Lynchburg.
Willie Taylor, Sumter.
Luther A. McLendon, Sumter.
Bennie Koonrow, Sumter.
Warren A. Smith, Sumter.
Sidney Geddings, Wedgefield.
Wilbur A. Walling, Sumter.
Sam Dennis, Rembert.
William A. McDaniel, Tindal.
Andrew Lee, Motts Bridge.
Leon Stuckey, Rembert.
Boyd H. Sing, Sumter.
John Buckner, Dalzell.
Jasper Deas, Providence.
Manlius O. Aycock, Wedgefield.
Thomas Green, Sumter.
Wesley Montgomery, Sumter.
Jewell V. Morris, Sumter.
H. P. Moses, Sumter.
Robert D. Cole, Sumter.
Robert Sanders, Sumter.
Henry M. Strange, Sumter.
Timothy Fraser, Brogdon.
Phares R. Chatham, Sumter.
Eldon M. Wiley, Sumter.
Richard H. Buddin, Lynchburg.
Alison F. Barfield, Lynchburg.
Robert E. Brown, Oswego.
James H. McKnight, Sumter.
James D. Graham, Sumter.
Philip Conyers, Sumter.
Charlie E. Owens, Sumter.

Class Five.

Thomas Antony, Sumter.
Clarence E. McFadden, Sumter.
Edwin L. Randle, Sumter.
James A. Terry, Oswego.
William Brogdon, Brogdon.
Thomas B. Cutter, Sumter.
Wiley Jenkins, Sumter.
Ivey T. Smalls, Sumter.
Ernest C. Dunn, Sumter.
Alva Stuckey, Dalzell.

(To be Continued.)

DEMAND THEIR RELEASE.

Russian Societies Wire President Concerning Goldman and Berkman.

New York, Feb. 2.—Gregory Weinstein, president of the convention here of Russian societies, was authorized by the convention late today to send to President Wilson a telegram protesting against the "unjust sentence" passed upon Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and two other Russian citizens, and stating that the convention "demands their immediate release and permission to return to Russia."

The telegram was approved read: "The first convention of Russian citizens in the United States assembled at Beethoven Hall, New York protest against the unjust sentence passed on the Russian citizens, Emma Goldman, Alexander Berkman and two other Russian citizens, and demands their immediate release and permission to return to Russia."

NEWS FROM FINLAND.

Red Guard Arrest Members of Diet and Bank Directors.

Stockholm, Feb. 2.—The Finnish legislature today received a telegram stating that Russian soldiers of the Red Guard in Helsinki have arrested a number of members of the diet and also several bank directors.

GRAIN RATE PROPOSED.

Freight to Florida Points Not Increased.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The Interstate Commerce Commission further suspended to August 8th the proposed rate increase in railroad commodity rates on grain and grain products from East St. Louis to Florida points.

BOLSHEVSKI CONTROL UKRAINE.

Capture of Kiev Insures Authority of Anarchist Group.

Petrograd, Thursday, Jan. 31.—The capture of Kiev by the Bolsheviks virtually, without resistance, insures the authority of the Bolsheviks in the Ukraine.

Women ought to have part-time jobs, according to a college professor, devoting the rest of their time to raising families. A good, practical suggestion. Caring for a family occupies more than, say, fifteen hours for a woman's day. She could get a part-time job for some of the hours she now devotes foolishly to sleep.—Puck.

NEW DRAFT RULES.

Physical Defects to Be Waived.

Washington, Jan. 31.—New regulations for selective draft physical examinations issued today by Maj. Gen. E. H. Crowder, provost marshal general, allows for extension of the policy of accepting for special and limited service registrants unfit for general military duty. They will bring into the service under the next draft men who otherwise would be exempted.

The local boards are directed to pass upon registrants for general military service only when they come within the standards of unconditional acceptance of rejection. All other cases must be referred to the medical advisory board for further examination. Hereafter there will be no unconditional rejection of men who have remedial defects.

Under the old regulation men under five feet in height were unconditionally rejected. In the future men of 58 inches if exceptionally well proportioned may be taken, and if not exceptionally well proportioned their cases must be referred to the medical board. Registrants above 78 inches when not exceptionally well proportioned also are to be referred to the medical advisory board for classification.

The minimum weight established by the regulation is 100 pounds unless the underweight is "plainly due to some recent illness as otherwise the registrants have no disqualifying defect."

Registrants under weight in proportion to their height unless it is plainly due to some temporary cause, also go to the medical board.

The medical board general examination of special registrants and information upon are to be given to the medical advisory boards concerning special and limited military service for registrants unfit for general service.

Vacant Chairs, the Effect of Chemical Changes.

Following the deaths of two worthy and highly esteemed Sunday school superintendents of this city, Mr. M. H. Fields, ex-superintendent of Emanuel M. E. Sunday school and Mr. W. J. Andrews, superintendent of Mt. Pisgah A. M. E. Sunday school, the representatives of the Sunday schools mentioned offered joint resolutions on the lives and works of those two noble leaders and extended to each other their mutual sympathies in the loss of their standard bearers.

Mr. S. J. McDonald, of the Emanuel M. E. Sunday school, during his remarks stressed the coincidence of the passing away, in Sumter, within a few months of each other, the two, possibly, oldest Sunday school superintendents in the State of South Carolina. He further reminded his hearers that Mr. M. H. Fields served his Sunday school in the capacity of superintendent for more than twenty years and acted as the channel through which many came in to work for Christ.

Miss Carrie Wilson, Mrs. Annie Sanders and Mr. Manning Epperson of Mt. Pisgah M. E. Sunday school were equally fervent in their praise of Messrs. Fields and Andrews and spoke at length on the Christian character of those two gentlemen. It was their mutual opinion that Christian progress was greatly increased by the unselfish work of those two warriors who fought side by side and also scattered precious seeds by the way, and having finished their work went to their graves, not as slaves to their dungeons scourged, but wrapped around them the mantle of faith and charity and laid down to pleasant dreams.

The work of Messrs. Fields and Andrews was fittingly portrayed by Mr. Epperson when he referred to the laws of physical and chemical change which are always at work in nature. "I was in obedience to this law that those two workers resigned their chairs and finally passed into the great beyond." It was the sense of the representatives of the two Sunday schools that their loss is a mutual one. Twenty years of service in the Sunday school for M. H. Fields and fifty years of service in the Sunday school for W. J. Andrews! A grand testimony of their devotion to duty. No more worthy tribute could be paid to the memory of those two men than that their successors seek to practice the noble principles for which they stood: "Let Our Aims be the Aims of Others."

F. C. Stoney, Superintendent Mt. Pisgah A. M. E. Sunday School.

J. W. Murphy, Pastor.

They found a man 25 years old up in Pennsylvania who never heard that a war is in progress until the other day. It was a shame to break the news to him. A man attending strictly to his own business, as this one must have been doing, should not be interfered with.—Lakeland Telegram.

LANDSDOWNE SUPPORTS WILSON.

English Statesman Endorses Declaration of War Aims.

London, Jan. 31.—The marquis of Lansdowne, in an address today said that he concurred entirely with the recent speeches of David Lloyd George, the British prime minister, and President Wilson on peace aims.

"I believe all of us are ready to prolong this war, as terrible as it is, until we can get a clean peace," said the leader of the opposition in the house of lords.

Lord Lansdowne added that the time for obtaining such a peace should not be too long delayed and that no opportunity should be neglected to bring it nearer.

Lord Lansdowne was replying to an address presented by Earl Lorneburn, former lord high chancellor, and others of his supporters including authors and journalists.

"But it is our desire," the speaker said, "that the time for obtaining that clean peace should, if possible, not be too long delayed and that no opportunity should be neglected of bringing it nearer."

"By a clean peace I mean a peace which will be honorable and durable."

Continuing Lord Lansdowne said there was only one way of getting this peace and that was by forming a combination of great powers under which the powers would hold themselves bound to refer international disputes to some kind of international tribunal.

Lord Lansdowne asked if it would not be true to add that if the cohesion of Germany could be obtained to such a pact it would mean the negation of Prussian militarism. He said, there would be no room for Prussian militarism under such a combination.

The speaker also accepted wholeheartedly the suggestion of Mr. Lloyd George that territorial questions should be settled on the basis of national self-determination.

The speech of Count von Hertling, the Imperial German chancellor, was a disappointment to him, Lord Lansdowne added.

"I think nobody would be more surprised than von Hertling," the speaker said, "if he thought we were going to hand over Gibraltar, Hong Kong and some other little quarters of the earth."

Lord Lansdowne said that a great many people were perplexed and uneasy because they did not know clearly the objects for which the country was asked to prolong the war. He added:

There has been from time to time different statements of the war aims of this country, he pointed out, but they were in broad outline and could be filled up in different ways, according to the inclination of the reader. He made no complaint against the government.

"It is unthinkable, altogether remote, from our thoughts," he continued "that we should in any way be disloyal to our allies who have fought so gloriously on our side in this war."

Lord Lansdowne then expressed concurrence in the speeches of Premier Lloyd George and President Wilson.

Was From Missouri.

Sergeant Major—Now, Private Smith, you know very well none but officers and noncommissioned officers are allowed to walk across the grass.

Private Smith—But, sergeant major, I've Captain Smith's verbal orders to—

Sergeant Major—None o' that, sir, show me the captain's verbal orders. Show 'em to me, sir.—Lippencotts'.

The President's Definition of Germanism.

Innumerable articles and many books have been written to define "Germanism" and show to the world what it means.

In his message to Congress December 4 President Wilson defines it as follows:

"This intolerable Thing of which the masters of Germany have shown us the ugly face, this menace of combined intrigue and force which we now see so clearly as the German power, a Thing without conscience or honor or capacity for covenanted peace."

This Thing must be crushed, and it is truly brought to an end, at least for out from the friendly intercourse of the nations, says the president, and is only when this Thing and its power are indeed defeated that the time can come when we can discuss peace with the common people.

According to one of the German forestry journals, the Kaiser, in 1908, killed 1,995 pieces of wild game, including 79 stags, elk and roebuck. At that time he had slaughtered a total of 61,730 pieces of game, more than 1,000 of which were stags, and was leading exterminator of wild life in the world. As a slaughterer of men, women and children since 1914, however, he has been the foremost exterminator of human life in all history.

AUTO LICENSE RULING.

No Prosecution When Remittance Sent to Highway Department Before February 1.

Columbia, Feb. 2.—Thomas H. Peeples, attorney general yesterday advised the State highway department that no prosecutions would be brought by the attorney general's office against automobile owners, who sent in money for automobile licenses prior to February 1, although the license plates were not received by the owners of the cars. It is emphasized by Mr. Peeples that no penalty should be inflicted where failure to procure the license was incident to inadequate clerical help in the offices of the department. The letter to Mr. Murray, acting State highway engineer, reads:

Columbia, S. C., Feb. 1, 1918.
F. H. Murray, Acting State Highway Engineer, Columbia, S. C.


Dear Sir: I am in receipt of numerous inquiries this morning from residents of the State stating that they have remitted the fees for their automobile licenses to your department, but that the issuance of the licenses has been delayed and they

have not yet received the same.

Under the view that I take of the law I feel it my duty to advise them that where the remittance was made in good faith to your department in order to secure a license before Feb. 1, that I as attorney general will not press any prosecution against them and will dismiss such prosecution as may be brought in such cases. This is not intended as a reflection upon the administration of your office, but I hope you may be able to employ sufficient clerical aid to issue the licenses applied for without delay. If the failure to issue the license is due to the inability of your office to issue same upon demand, I do not think a penalty should be placed upon a party when he has paid it in due time. I write this for your advice.

Yours very truly,
Thomas H. Peeples,
Attorney General.

Amsterdam, Feb. 2.—"Isolated and insignificant excesses" in Berlin yesterday are reported in the semi-official statement received here today from Berlin. Work is said to have been resumed in Hamburg and Danzig.



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